

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Loess Bluffs National Wildlife Refuge

Junior Naturalist Programs

Summer 2017

Looking for some outdoor Family fun for your school-age kids this summer?

Programs start at 6:30pm on the second Thursday of each month from June through August and last about an hour. All programs will be outdoors, so please dress appropriately. Families are encouraged to join! A parent or legal guardian must accompany youth at all times.

Wild about Wetlands!.....Thursday, June 8, 2017

Why is it called a wetland? Who lives in wetland habitats? What exactly is a habitat? Join us for a hands-on activity that investigates wetland habitats! Please dress appropriately to be outdoors, and bring water to drink.

Come and explore the different mammals that can be found on the refuge but may not be seen very often. Look at their pelts and skulls and see how they differ from each other and how they interact with each other.

Birds in the BluffsThursday, August 10, 2017

Here's your chance to become an honorary Refuge Ornithologist (scientist who studies birds). We'll learn how to spot and identify our most famous feathered friends. With a beginner's introduction to binoculars and bird sounds we'll be ready for fun! Meet at the headquarters building and set off for a bluff birding adventure.

Programs are free of charge.

Directions: Loess Bluffs National Wildlife Refuge, take Interstate 29 to Exit 79 south of Mound City, Missouri then travel south 2 ½ miles on U.S. Highway 159.

For more information, please call (660) 442-3187





